

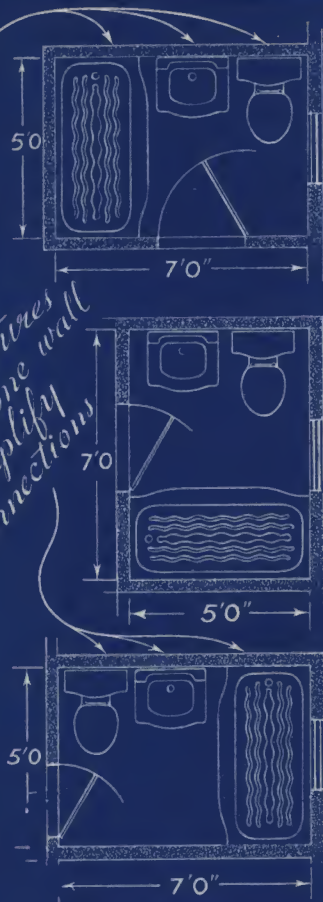


Planning your

BATHROOMS

and powder room

*Fixtures
on one wall
simplify
connections*

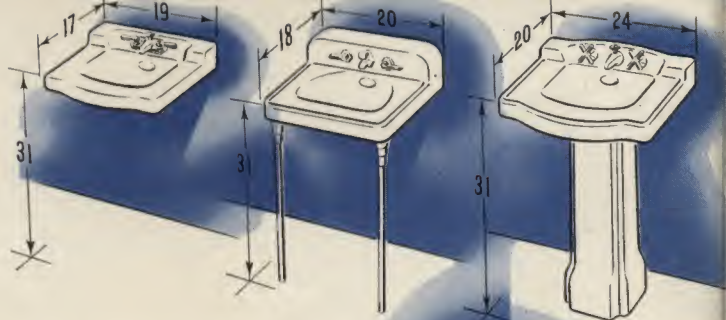
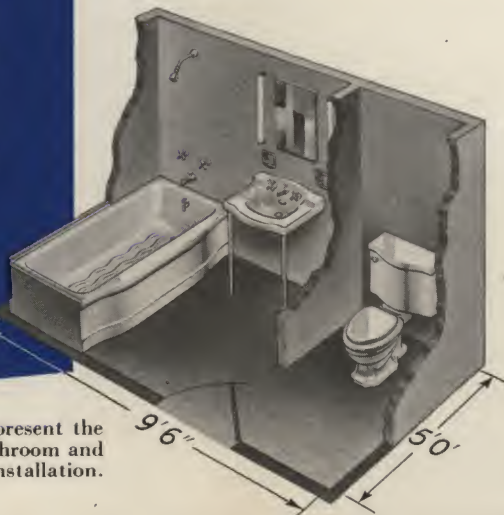


EXTERIOR WALL

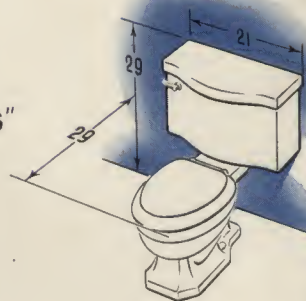
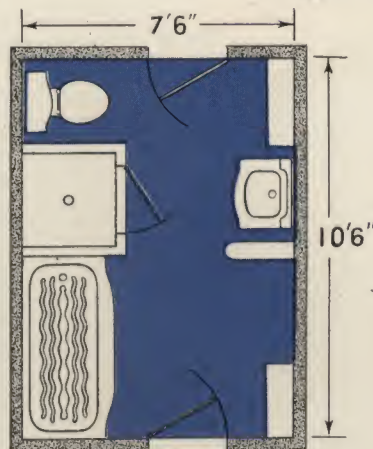
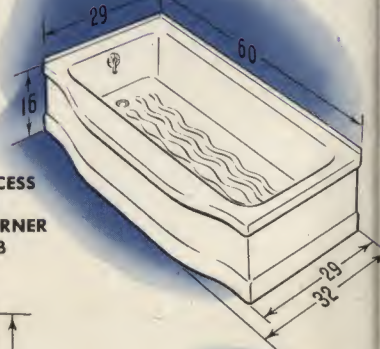
The floor plans illustrated above represent the minimum space practical for the bathroom and provide for the most economical installation.

planning

Nothing is more fascinating than the planning of a new home or the modernization of an old one. Presented on the following pages are a number of basic floor plans which take the mystery out of planning bathrooms and powder rooms. These suggestions will be especially helpful because they have been designed to stimulate your own thinking, as well as to introduce new notes in the design of these important rooms.



RECESS
OR
CORNER
TUB



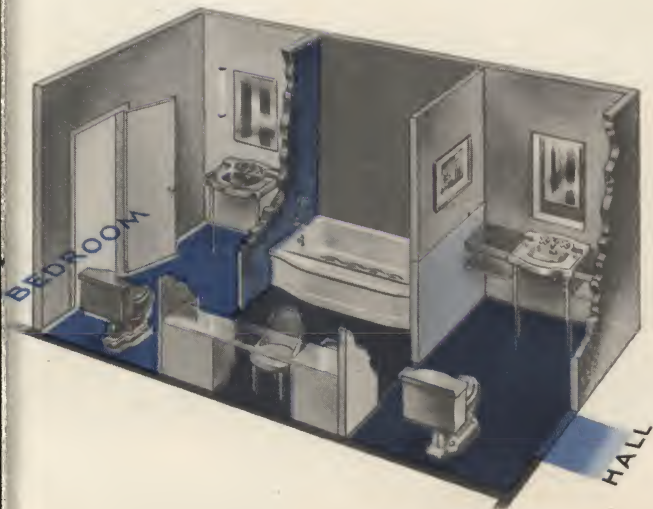


occasional lavatory or powder room

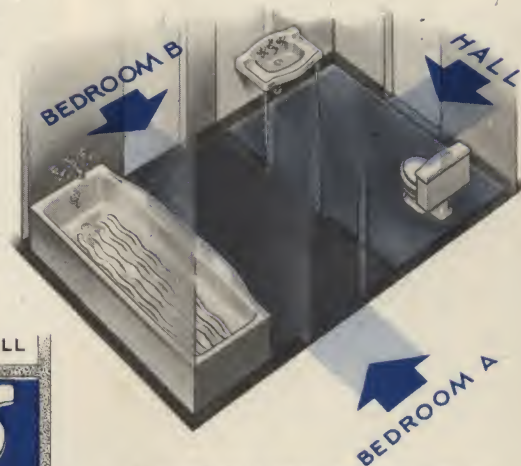
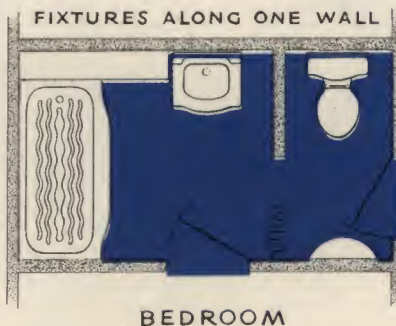
A *must* luxury even in the one-floor plan home if space permits. A *necessity* in the two-story house with single bath on second floor. It is an occasional room so why not do this one in gay colors—something bold!

double duty bathrooms

You will hear more of the “double-duty” bathroom as time goes on, so consider adding a few feet of space, in your planning, to provide for an additional lavatory or closet combination. Your architect or builder will assist in locating door openings. If your budget won’t permit those two separate bathrooms—you can economize with the “double-duty” arrangement. It is less expensive to plan now for the future plumbing requirements of your family.



Below—for the one-floor plan—hall door leads to powder room—separated from main bathroom by folding door.



A three-entrance bathroom—suitable for one-floor or two-floor plan where budget just won’t allow for occasional lavatory or powder room.

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the recess tub

Really a most versatile bath fixture—you can go as far as you like. Its use permits your giving the bathroom a modern touch with lots of shelves, mirrors, dressing table or vanity top, gay colors and plenty of accent on living.

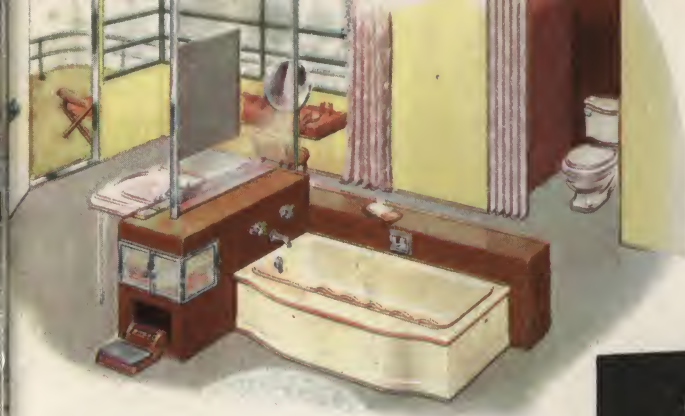


the corner tub

color and design

IDEAS

If the corner tub fits your floor plan these ideas will excite your imagination. It is really simple to have a striking bathroom and your architect or builder will keep it practical.





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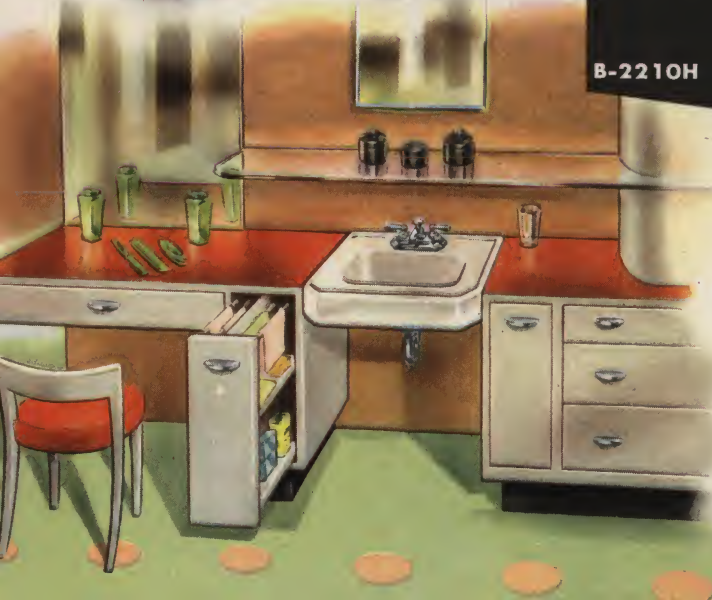
Plenty of swish! The powder room need not be breath-taking but it can be striking in both color and design. Dad and the children will be glad to give mother full rein in her treatment of this occasional room.



A lavatory in dad's hobby room or one installed adjacent to his den, would save mother many a chore. If you provide for these extra facilities in the original planning, the cost will be nominal. Consult your plumbing contractor—he can tell you whether your idea is practical.



B-2210H





B-201W

The CADILLAC B-201W is the most popular built-in bathtub. Recess style—five foot length. Ideal for sit down and shower bathing. Specify B-201W for fixture complete with special automatic shower fittings.

Acid-resisting porcelain enamel at no extra cost. All Briggs Beautyware fixtures are easy to clean, easy to keep clean.

the family group

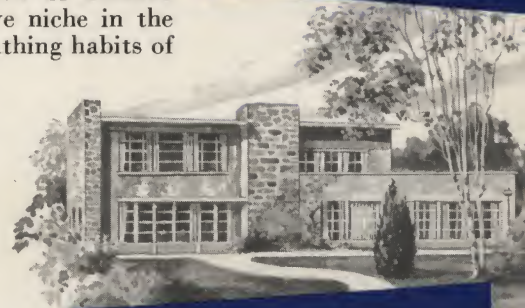
In this ensemble the three-wall built-in recess bathtub, most economically priced of modern fixtures, occupies its own exclusive niche in the room and serves well the varied bathing habits of the entire family. The SAFETY BOTTOM of the Briggs Beautyware bathtub provides safety for both sit-down and shower bathers.

RILEY, B-1540HT. With pedestal. Chrome-plated centerset mixer fitting affords extra ledge space. Size 24" x 20". Can be fitted with towel bars.



B-1540HT

FIXTURE GROUPS



R-4100

R-4100. Free-standing closet combination with reverse trap, round front bowl; assures quiet operation.

for the master bathroom

The Drake corner style bathtub is the choice for the larger bathroom. Selected more frequently as the fixture for the bathroom adjoining the Master bedroom, it is also popular for the bath to be modernized. The leg lavatory and free standing closet combination, both gracefully proportioned and distinctive in appearance, are ideal companion fixtures.



B-601W



B-1530H



R-4100

R-4100. Free-standing closet combination with reverse trap, round front bowl; assures quiet operation.

RILEY B-1530H. A smartly designed lavatory, 24" x 20" size with ample ledge space; central spout mixer fitting with pop-up drain, legs and twin towel bars. All metal parts in lustrous chrome plate.

DRAKE B-601W. Five-foot left-hand corner model with comfortable wide rim seat and serpentine embossed safety bottom. Illustrated with tub supply and special safety control shower fitting in spout. The Drake tub is also furnished for right-hand corner installation.

FITTINGS

BRIGGS BRIGHT CHROME fittings are your assurance of trouble-free service. The mirror bright—non-tarnishing—chromium-plated surfaces are just as easy to clean as the Briggs Beautyware fixtures on which they are installed. These modern fittings will lend sparkle and snap to your bath and powder room.

T-8110. TRUART Tub and shower fittings with automatic shower diverter valve in spout—trip lever drain control. Ideal for new home construction.



T-8600. TRUART Shower set consisting of "EVER-KLEER" self-cleaning shower head—ball joint—arm and flange.



T-8500. TRUART concealed mixing valve shower for stall installation.

T-8550. TRUART Afterthought Shower. Has automatic shower diverter valve in spout. Recommended for installation in old homes without showers—merely replace old spout with new fitting.



FEATURES
No inner overflow tube, making drain absolutely sanitary. Simple in construction. All working parts easily accessible and removable through overflow plate.

Trip lever operation. Positive in action.

T-8400. TRUART Trip Lever Drain. Positive tub drain control.



T-8820. TRUART Centerset lavatory fitting with central spout and pop-up drain.



T-9200. TRUART Ledge sink faucet with swinging spout and automatic spray control with disappearing hose.
T-9205—fitting less spray.

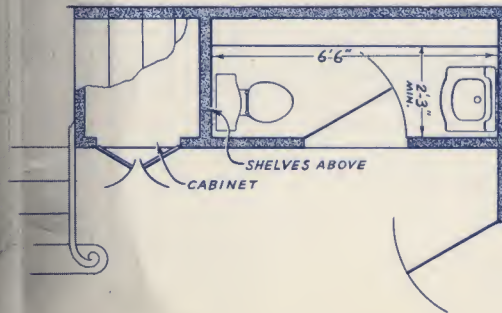
remodeling

"I'd give most anything for another bathroom or powder room!" You can almost hear yourself saying that, can't you? Well, a quick survey of your home and a compromise on storage might uncover an under stairs space, an oversize hall or an unused attic that will answer this need. And inexpensively too!

"catch-all" into powder room

How many times have you told Junior and Janey—and Father too, as a matter of fact—that if they place another tennis racket, hockey stick or umbrella in the stairs closet, you will scream?

A typical case in point is illustrated—*before* and *after*. The finished room is one of which you will indeed be proud. For the many conveniences afforded by this new room the family will not complain in seeking other "catch-alls."



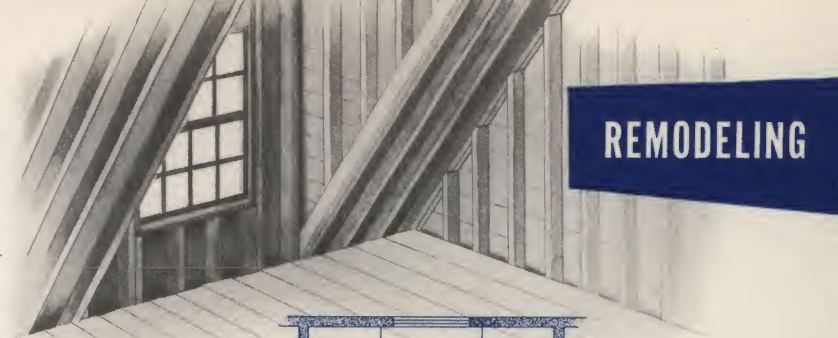
the old bathroom

Most simple, and reasonable in cost too, is the conversion of your old bathroom into a beautiful modern one. There is little of a floor plan problem—all your thoughts can be devoted to color selection and furnishings. Present-day materials provide for an unlimited expression of taste.

third floor bath

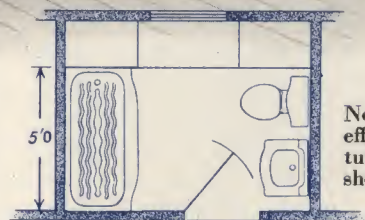
A forbidding stairs, or perhaps the absence of any stairs, keeps in hiding the space most families need for an extra bedroom and bath. The bathroom is quite as simple as the sketches on the right. Your architect or builder will be delighted to work out the details and the finished room can be a lovely picture bath.

This extra bath can well provide against the day when present facilities will be inadequate for your needs.



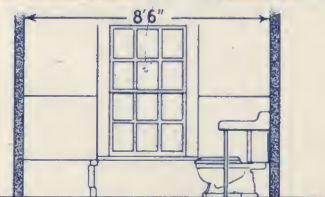
REMODELING

Attic dormer window construction has uninviting appearance but is ideal for floor planning the extra bedroom and bath.



Note the simple yet effective floor plan—tub can be fitted with shower.

Window provides unusual natural lighting and ventilation. This plan affords liberal space between bathtub and other fix-



This transformation from the old bathroom can be accomplished at modest cost

This extra bath has linen and towel storage facilities found in few originally planned bathrooms.



planning color schemes



Beautiful is the effect of color skillfully used in the decoration of any room. In addition, color schemes may be stimulating or restful, although some combinations of colors are depressing or disturbing. The pleasing effects of color are the result of a definite plan, yet such an achievement is not difficult nor does it require "a sixth sense." A great variety of color schemes and combinations are suggested by the illustrations in this booklet and may be utilized to decorate beautifully a bathroom or powder room. Many materials are now suitable for bathrooms, and you may care to use materials in which the exact colors shown are not immediately available. If you originate your own color schemes it is well to bear in mind the simple principles governing the use of colors in combination.

A logical arrangement of the traditional primary and secondary hues forms a circle, or "color wheel," as illustrated. Primary pigment colors are merely those which cannot be obtained by the mixture of other hues. Secondary colors are equal mixtures of two primary colors. To combine colors in decorative effects, there are three simple types of color schemes:



MONOCHROMATIC or one-color schemes are derived from a single hue; green, for example, may be the only hue contained in colors ranging from light to dark, or from weak ("soft") to intense. A practical monochromatic scheme might consist of: sandstone colored fixtures, neutral tan or beige walls, dark tan floor and accents in chocolate color.

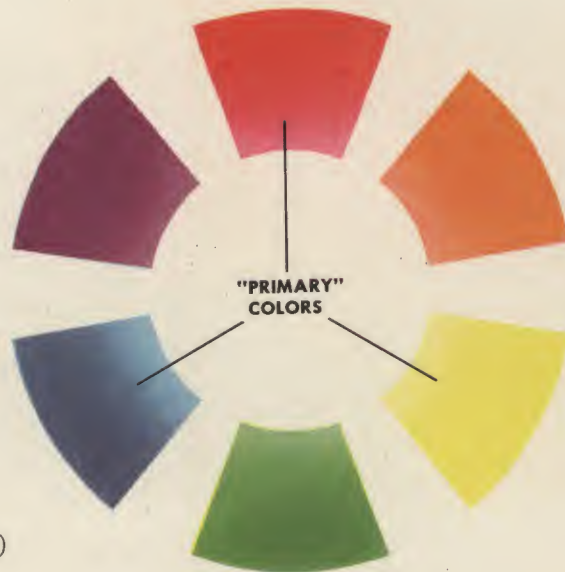
ANALOGOUS or similar-color schemes employ colors made from hues adjacent to each other in the color wheel, or mixture of these colors. With green as the dominant color, blue-green could be used and accents of yellow or chartreuse added to complete the scheme. Such a plan is more interesting than the monochromatic schemes, but presents some difficulty in securing "just right" colors where a variety of materials are to be used.

COMPLEMENTARY color schemes utilize the balance obtained with colors opposite each other in the color wheel. If light, clear green is the dominant color, reddish colors are used in subtle shades and tints to form a complementary scheme. Three, or even more, hues may be used in a complementary scheme, such as red, blue and yellow; note that these colors are "balanced" on the wheel. A pleasing scheme requires that one hue be dominant and that at least one hue be definitely subordinated to the others.

PLAN first; choose as a starting point pastel plumbing fixtures, then select the colors in materials to be used for walls and floor; as a final step, towels, accessories and a little paint can be chosen in colors to balance the scheme as a whole. A simple method of enlivening a color treatment is to add a color of whatever primary hue may be lacking. Use brilliant colors in small areas and avoid clashing of colors by placing brilliant hues adjacent to soft colors. The use of light tints or pastels adjacent to dark shades will add contrast and interest to your rooms.

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